



A coming-of-age story about  
the worries of a boy and the  
girl with the shining smile!  
The first of three chapters  
is 32 pages long and comes  
with a center color page!!

# Canale 13

Golden

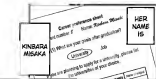
THIS  
WORLD  
SHINE!!

YOUR  
SMILE  
MAKES

This 3 chapter  
short story is  
the newest  
work from the  
newcomer artist  
who earned  
overwhelming  
praise for his  
previous work  
"Welcome to  
the competitive  
dance club"

Yakoto Tokuma





Best 50 results of the 2nd year intermediate English test

Rank	Name	Scores	21	Saitou
1	Kinbara Misaoka	99	22	Ueki
2	Saito Akari	95	23	Kinjou
3	Kinoshita Jiyuu	93	24	Tanaka
4	Kudoh Nari	91	25	Shoudo
5	Kasuga Satomi	88	26	Nakano





SIT DOWN PLEASE!

HOW WHO NEEDS TO TRANSLATE THE BEST KIMATA!

OHAYO VERY GOOD MORNING!

IS LIKE PERFECT



PLUS, HER PRONUNCIATION



HAIRLINE!

UH NO...

AMAZING!

OHAYO I DIDN'T KNOW TOM SAWADA WAS THAT AMBITIOUS!

OHAYO, ERR... I WILL BECOME THE FUTURE JUDGE...!



SHE'S ALWAYS WEARING HEADPHONES, LISTENING TO SOMETHING CRYPTIC

WHEN SHE'S ALONE



WHAT A MYSTERIOUS PERSON...

OHAYO, LISTENING TO MUSIC

BUT NO ONE REALLY KNOWS MUCH ABOUT HER PAST

LIKE WHICH MIDDLE SCHOOL SHE'S FROM OR WHERE SHE USED TO LIVE BEFORE SHE MOVED HERE



SINCE SHE'S CHEERFUL, SHE'S GOT QUITE A FEW FRIENDS



KINATA,  
THIS WAS  
REALLY  
PRETTY  
DAMN  
GOODY

KINATA'S  
TASTE IN  
BOOKS IS  
IMPECCABLE  
AS USUAL



WHO WOULD'VE  
THOUGHT  
THAT ALL THE  
SEPARATE  
STORYLINES  
WOULD COME  
TOGETHER  
IN THE END

YEAH  
RIGHT?

LET ME  
BRING YOU  
A DIFFERENT  
BOOK BY THE  
SAME AUTHOR  
IF YOU LIKE  
NEXT TIME...

OR HOW  
ABOUT  
NOT?



NEW THING



SHE WAS  
ALL I KEPT  
THINKING  
ABOUT

DURING THE  
SUMMER OF  
MY SOPHOMORE  
YEAR  
AT HIGH  
SCHOOL



SEE CLIPPER





YES

ONLY THOSE  
WHO ASK  
QUESTIONS  
RECEIVE  
ANSWERS!  
GET IT?

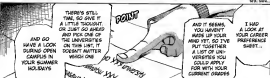
IF YOU  
HAVE ANY  
QUESTIONS,  
FEEL FREE  
TO ASK US.  
WE TEACHERS  
ARE THERE  
TO ANSWER  
THEM.



WELL ...

YOUR  
GRADE!!  
CHATT  
KEEP UP  
WITH THAT  
AT ALL

SPR. 100%



THERE'S STILL  
TIME, SO GIVE IT  
A LITTLE THOUGHT,  
OR JUST GO AHEAD  
AND PICK ONE OF  
THE UNIVERSITIES  
ON THIS LIST. IT  
DOESN'T MATTER  
WHICH ONE.

AND GO  
HAVE A LOOK  
DURING OPEN  
CAMPUS IN  
YOUR SUMMER  
HOLIDAYS

POINT

AND IT SEEMS  
YOU HAVEN'T  
MADE UP YOUR  
MIND YET, SO I'VE  
PUT TOGETHER  
A LIST OF UNI-  
VERSITIES YOU  
COULD APPLY  
FOR WITH YOUR  
CURRENT GRADES

I HAD  
A LOOK AT  
YOUR CAREER  
PREFERENCE  
SHEET...



FLAP

SOUNDS  
REASON-  
ABLE, I  
GUESS  
...



RATTLE

HAVING A GOAL  
TO WORK FOR  
CAN HELP YOU  
KEEP UP YOUR  
MOTIVATION  
WHEN YOU'RE  
STUDYING

WHEN YOU  
SEE A REAL  
UNIVERSITY  
FOR YOURSELF,  
THERE'S A  
CHANCE YOU  
MIGHT LIKE IT

SPR. 100%



FOR NOW I'M  
THINKING OF  
APPLYING FOR  
A UNIVERSITY...  
BUT I WONDER  
IF IT REALLY IS  
THE RIGHT THING  
FOR ME...

A GOAL  
TO WORK FOR,  
HMM...











ANYWAY,  
FOR PEOPLE  
LIKE US WHO  
KNOW EVERY  
CORNER AND  
NOOK OF OUR  
ACADE TOWN,  
THERE'S ONLY  
ONE OPTION  
LEFT...

WE USE THE  
OPEN CAMPUS OF  
SOME UNIVERSITY  
AS AN EXCUSE  
AND GO ON  
AN OVERNIGHT  
TRIP TO TOKYO



KOSE,  
DON'T YOU  
HAVE CLUB  
ACTIVITIES?

YEAH, BUT  
THERE'S  
SOMETHING  
CALLED  
BEDLINS AND  
I'M TAKING  
ONE RIGHT  
NOW

THAT MEANS...  
THIS SUMMER  
IS OUR LAST  
CHANCE TO  
GO ALL OUT  
AND HAVE FUN

SPY TALK TALK TALK



THIS IS THE MOMENT  
WHEN EVERYONE  
REALIZES THAT MY  
TALK ON THE FIRST  
PAGE ABOUT HOW  
I WANT TO APPLY  
FOR A UNIVERSITY IN  
TOKYO, TADOKU TADOKU,  
WAS ACTUALLY  
FORESHADOWING!

YOU STILL  
DON'T REALLY  
UNDERSTAND  
WHAT FOR-  
SHADOWING  
MEANS, DO  
YOU?

THIS PLAN  
WOULD BE  
PERFECT IF  
IT WASN'T  
FOR THE LACK OF  
PARENTAL  
FORGIVENESS

OBVIOUSLY,  
IT'S AN EXTRA-  
CURRICULAR  
ACTIVITY IN NATURE  
WHICH ALLOWS  
US TO GET OUR  
PARENTS TO  
PAY FOR THE  
TRAVELING  
EXPENSES...  
IT'S A TRILLY  
DEVILISH PLAN!

SPY TALK TALK TALK



IT  
SEEMS,  
FOR  
KOSE...



BURY  
YOUR  
FEAR,  
KOSE!

IT'S NOT  
TALKING  
UP CLOUTIER  
FROM THE  
MOUNTAIN

LET'S  
MAKE  
IT THE  
SUMMER  
OF OUR  
LIVES!

DID YOU  
FORGET WHY  
YOU'RE BEING  
MADE TO RUN  
EXTRA LAPS?  
IT LEAST  
ACT LIKE YOU  
BELIEVE THAT  
YOU REACHED  
UP LATER



THEN IT'S  
DECIDED!  
TRY TO GET  
TOGETHER  
MONEY FOR  
ONE NIGHT'S  
LODGING!

IT DOES  
SOUND  
LIKE FUN,  
BUT...

ALSO  
PREPARE  
AN EXCUSE  
FOR WHY  
YOU HAVE  
TO STAY IN  
TOKYO FOR  
THE NIGHT!



THEN  
WHAT  
ABOUT  
KIN-  
BARA  
?



BUT THEN AGAIN, I'M  
NOT ANY  
DIFFERENT,  
AM I...?

ANNN...

I WONDER IF  
THE PEOPLE  
GOING TO AN  
OPEN CAMPUS  
ALL HAVE  
THAT KIND OF  
MINDSET...



THE OPEN  
CAMPUS  
DAY IS NOT  
MORE THAN  
AN EXCUSE  
TO GO TO  
TOWN TO  
HAVE FUN...

THE SCHOOL SCHEDULE



OPEN  
CAMPUS  
DAY TOO?

AREN'T  
YOU  
LOOKING  
FORWARD  
TO



THIS  
IS ONE  
OF THE  
REASONS  
WHY MY  
GRADES  
ARE BAD

MY, DEAR



REALLY

THERE'S  
NO NEED  
TO HASTILY  
MAKE UP  
MY MIND  
AFTER ALL



MAYBE



ARE YOU READY FOR OUR GREAT ADVENTURE? BECAUSE I AM.

GIVE ME THE MONEY FOR YOUR TRAIN FARE IF YOU ARE TOO.

ALRIGHT THEN, KINATA.



DO WHATEVER YOU WANT, I DON'T CARE.

THERE'S NOTHING IN IT FOR ME.

YOU ALMOST SAID UP THERE!

YOU SEE, DAD'S OFTEN SWITCHED ON ME SINCE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.

ALL MICHAEL DON'T YOU GUESS SWITCH ON US?



I LIED TO MY PARENTS AND MY TEACHER FOR THE FIRST TIME IN MY LIFE.

YEAH, I WASN'T PREPARED MYSELF FOR THE WORST.

WELL, DON'T WORRY, YOU'LL GET USED TO IT.

ALL MORE THE SUPER LATE "WRITTEN APPLICATION"



WOW, NOW THAT YOU'VE HEARD ABOUT IT, DON'T YOU SWITCH ON US EITHER, KINBARAT?

OHAYO THAT'S GREAT!

WE WERE PLANNING ON GOING ON AN OVERNIGHT TRIP TO OPEN CAMPUS DAY DURING THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS.



GOOD MORNING, SLIGHTLY LATE?

ALL KINBARA.



MORNING LIKE PLAN TO GET?

SHHH



SPY, KINBARA'S BLOOD, KINBARA, GOOD



SPY, KINBARA'S BLOOD, KINBARA, GOOD







SPY: CHASE!







WOW, WOW,  
WHAT'S WITH  
YOU TWO?  
YOU'RE ALREADY  
CLOSE ENOUGH  
TO CALL EACH  
OTHER BY YOUR  
FIRST NAMES?

YES,  
MICHIRU  
AND I  
ARE NOW  
BUDDIES  
NOW

THAT  
WAS  
QUICK!  
SPEED  
OF LIGHT  
QUICK!



MICHIRU  
AREN'T YOU  
GETTING  
KINEURA'S  
MAIL ADDY?

MICHIRU  
AND I  
EXCHANGED  
ADDRESSES  
WHILE  
WAITING  
FOR YOU  
SLEEPY  
HEADS



OKAY,  
HERE'S  
MINE

SP: 5-554

SP: 5-554

SP: 5-554



ON  
THAT  
DAY

YOU BET,  
TAKUYA!

THEY'RE  
SO RE-  
TARDED

HA  
HA  
HA



DAMN!  
BUT YOU'LL  
NEVER BE  
AS CLOSE  
AS WE ARE!

RIGHT,  
MADU-  
HIMOT?

SP: 5-554

SP: 5-554



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25833  
区

I WAS  
FEELING  
GREAT

SP: 5-554



I HAD  
NEVER  
FELT ANY  
BETTER

IN  
FACT



SO I'M GUESSING TATELVA PREPARED A LIST OF PLACES TO VISIT

THE GUIDE-BOOK GUYS WILL SPEND THE FIRST DAY SIGHT-SEEING...

OH, KIDD, IT'S GETTING SHARU-RAISING NOW...

I AM IN TOKYO!!



THE BUILDINGS ARE HUGE!!



OH... DON'T WORRY, WE DON'T

I HAVE STARED TO EXISTING TAPSLA TO HAVE COMMON SENSE...



SHOULD I HAVE?

YOU DID NOT IF?

WHY I DIDN'T PREPARE A LIST



WHAT DO YOU NEED SUCH HUGE BUILDINGS FOR ANYWAY?



EVEN IF WE JUST STROLLED AROUND AIMLESSLY!

IF IT'S THE FOUR OF US, I'M SURE, WE COULD HAVE A GOOD TIME

IT'S ALL GOOD!

I DON'T THINK THAT WE NEED A LIST OR A GUIDE



HOW ABOUT WE START BY SAYING, ONE BY ONE, WHERE WE WANT TO GO?

I'LL START! CAN WE GO TO GARDEN 200 AND SEE THE FOUNTAIN?

I DO! I MEAN, I DID! THAT'S WHY I DIDN'T PREPARE ANYTHING ON PURPOSE

YOU KEEP YOUR MOUTH SHUT, TATELVA



DON'T YOU THINK?



SPX: SILVER SOUND

KIMURA: 409



DON'T TODAY A WEEK-DAY?

POPE DOES EVERYONE IN TOKYO WANT TO SEE THE PANDAS TODAY??

AND IT SEEMS LIKE ALL YOU GET TO SEE IS THESE HAPPY BACKSIDE ANYWAY

73

SPX: SILVER SOUND



LINE UP IN FRONT OF THE FAMOUS THUNDER GATE!!

LINE UP, YOU GUYS, LINE UP!!



KIMURA STATION

THIS IS POPE

SPX: SILVER SOUND



DON'T TREAT PEOPLE LIKE POKEMON

I CHOOSE YOU, KIMURA!!!

OH... THANK YOU

OH... THANK YOU



I... I CAN'T BREAK!

I-IT'S A FOR-EIGNER!!

AN, EXCUSE ME



WOW! (BANGBANGBANG)  
WHA! CAN HE GUESS RUNNING IT'S EMBARRASSING!





WHOM? HOLD YOUR HORSES, AMIGOS!

SOMEWHERE AROUND HERE SHOULD BE THE...

100% COT COT



I BET, THEY'RE ALL POTENTIAL CANDIDATES FOR THE "BOOK OF THE WEEK"

THAT'S A LOT OF SECOND-HAND BOOKS YOU BOUGHT THERE



IT'S LIKE WE'RE IN BAKEMAN A PHOTO! SORRY, BUT COULD YOU TAKE A PHOTO OF US HERE?

HEAD-QUARTERS OF SHUNSHIN!

THE COMPANY THAT PUBLISHES JUMP!



PLEASE TAKE ONE WITH MY CELL PHONE NEXT!

WHAT IS TAKING?

100% WOODCOO

100% SOUND OF A BATTERY



BECAUSE THE MANGA ARTISTS DON'T COME TO THE HEAD-QUARTERS, RIGHT?

WELL, WHY NOT WAIT FOR THE MANGA ARTIST?

ALRIGHT! LET'S WAIT FOR JUMP EDITORS TO COME OUT!



## THE SECOND DAY

NO  
MESSING  
AROUND  
LIKE YES-  
TERDAY.  
GOT IT?

WE'RE  
GONNA  
BE ALL  
SERIOUS  
TODAY,  
KAY?

AL-  
RIGHT,  
GUYS!

YEAH

WE'LL  
MEET UP  
AT TOKYO  
STATION  
AT 8 PM!  
DON'T BE  
LATE!

WELL,  
I WANT  
TO CHECK  
TEIKUUN  
UNIVERSI-  
TY OUT

I'M OFF  
THEN  
SEE YOU  
LATER,  
I GUESS

GOTCHA

FEELS LIKE  
EVERYTHING  
I HAD LOOKED  
FORWARD TO  
ON THIS TRIP  
HAPPENED  
YESTERDAY...

SO  
TODAY'S  
OPEN  
CAMPUS  
DAY...

AH

OHAY...

AH,  
GOTTA  
TAKE  
THIS LINE!

SEE YA  
LATER,  
GUYS!

AND I KINDA  
DOUBT THAT  
I WILL HAVE  
A CHANGE OF  
HEART EVEN  
IF I GO HAVE  
A LOOK...

IT'S  
NOT LIKE  
I'M REALLY  
INTERESTED  
IN THE UNI-  
VERSITY  
I'M ABOUT  
TO VISIT...



IT'S  
JUST ME  
AND  
KINBARA  
NOW

UHH



I'D  
LIKE TO  
THANK  
YOU

IT'S  
A BIT  
LATE,  
BUT...



YEAH

SO  
WE'RE  
HEADING  
IN THE  
SAME DI-  
RECTION



KINBARA,  
YOU'LL  
TAKE THIS  
LINE TOO,  
RIGHT?

SPY: EPILES BATTLE

SPY: CLATTER CLATTER



FOR  
INVIT-  
ING ME  
ALONG

THANK  
YOU  
VERY  
MUCH

EH!?



SINCE WE  
WON'T HAVE  
ANY TIME  
IN OUR  
3RD YEAR

NOT AT  
ALL! I  
ENJOYED  
MYSELF  
THOR-  
OUGHLY

I'M GLAD  
I COULD  
MAKE SOME  
GREAT  
MEMORIES  
WITH YOU  
GUYS



AND WE  
WEREN'T  
WELL  
PREPARED  
ON TOP OF  
THAT...

YOU SURE  
YOU'RE  
NOT REG-  
RETTING  
THAT YOU  
CAME  
ALONG?

OH, SURE...  
SORRY FOR  
ASKING YOU  
OUT OF  
THE BLUE  
LIKE THAT  
THOUGH





ME?

THE  
FOREIGN  
STUDIES  
ONE

SPEAKING  
OF WHICH,  
WHICH UNIVER-  
SITY IN TOKYO  
ARE YOU  
AIMING AT?

AAAAH  
YEAH, WHY  
DON'T WE DO  
OUR BEST AND  
TRY TO GET  
ACCEPTED TO  
TOKYO  
UNIVERSITY?

THEN WE  
CAN DO  
THINGS  
LIKE THIS  
ALL THE  
TIME

AAAAH  
YOU'RE  
RIGHT...  
NEXT  
YEAR...

WE'LL  
PROBABLY  
HAVE TO  
STUDY  
DAY AND  
NIGHT

000 BATTLE BATTLE



YEAH,  
RIGHT

I'M  
WORRIED  
I MIGHT  
BE AIMING  
TOO HIGH

TOKYO  
UNIVERSITY  
OF FOREIGN  
STUDIES?  
THAT'S A  
FAMOUS  
PLACE!

HMM...  
FOREIGN  
STUDIES...

EHI!!



AAAAH...  
SHINJUKU?

I'M  
NOT!

BUT I  
WORK  
AT IT  
EVERY  
DAY

NO, I  
DON'T  
THINK  
YOU  
ARE...

YOU ARE  
REALLY  
GOOD AT  
ENGLISH  
AFTER ALL  
...

000 FIGHTING

000 BATTLE BATTLE



SHINJUKU?

SHINJUKU

WOULD  
YOU MIND IF  
I ACCOMPANIED  
YOU?

AAAAH...  
KINBARA



NO NEED TO WORRY ABOUT THAT. I WAS NOT REALLY INTERESTED IN THAT UNIVERSITY ANYWAY

ARE YOU SURE YOU DON'T WANT TO GO TO THE OTHER UNIVERSITY?

AHHH  
I KNOW THIS PLACE

AND AS FAR AS OUR TRIP IS CONCERNED, IT DOESN'T MATTER WHICH ONE I VISIT



ALTHOUGH MY GRADES TELL ME "FORGET IT, YOU WON'T MAKE IT ANYWAY"

WELL, I JUST THOUGHT "WHY NOT TRY GOING FOR A NATIONAL UNIVERSITY?"

DID YOU SUDDENLY DISCOVER YOUR INTEREST IN FOREIGN LANGUAGES?

BUT WHY THE CHANGE OF HEART ALL OF A SUDDEN?



TO BE HONEST, MORE THAN ANY UNIVERSITIES AND STUFF

NOT SURPRISED ABOUT THAT...

I'M INTERESTED IN YOU, KINGSARA

DON'T SAY THAT

NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE, YOU KNOW?



WE EVEN  
LIVED  
OVERSEAS  
FOR SOME  
TIME

AND  
ONCE



AS MY  
DAD GETS  
TRANS-  
FERRED  
A LOT WITH  
HIS JOB  
I HAD  
TO CHANGE  
SCHOOLS  
FREQUENTLY  
WHEN I WAS  
SMALL

HED DO  
HIS BEST  
TO ACT AS  
AN INTER-  
PRETER  
FOR ME

BUT THERE  
WAS THIS  
ONE BOY  
WHO COULD  
SPEAK  
A LITTLE  
JAPANESE



OF COURSE,  
I COULDN'T  
SPEAK A  
WORD IN  
ENGLISH  
BACK THEN

I'M SURE  
YOU CAN  
IMAGINE  
I HAD A  
PRETTY  
HARD TIME  
AT SCHOOL

TO BE  
ABLE TO  
ACT AS  
A BRIDGE  
OF COM-  
MUNICATION  
BETWEEN  
PEOPLE

IT MADE  
ME THINK  
TO MYSELF  
THAT IT  
MUST BE  
WONDER-  
FUL...

I SOON  
MADE  
LOTS OF  
FRIENDS

AND ONCE  
I COULD  
UNDERSTAND  
WHAT PEOPLE  
WERE SAYING

I REALIZED  
THAT THEY  
WERE ALL  
ACTUALLY  
VERY NICE  
TO ME

AND BY  
READING THEM  
IN JAPANESE  
HE BECAME  
ABLE TO SPEAK  
THE LANGUAGE  
JUST A LITTLE



BY THE WAY,  
THE BOY WHO  
INTERPRETED  
FOR ME...

TOLD ME  
HE LIKES  
JAPANESE  
COMICS

IT'S MORE  
A DREAM  
THAN A GOAL,  
ACTUALLY

I THINK  
THAT'S  
AN OVER-  
STATE-  
MENT

YOU'RE  
ALREADY  
THINKING  
ABOUT  
WHAT TO  
DO AFTER  
UNIVERSITY  
...

KINBARA...  
YOU'RE  
PLANNING  
SO FAR  
AHEAD  
INTO THE  
FUTURE...

I JUST END  
UP WONDERING  
IF SOMEONE  
LIKE ME CAN  
ACCOMPLISH  
ANYTHING  
AT ALL

IS IT MY  
UNIVERSITY  
OF CHOICE OR  
MY FUTURE  
PLANS IN  
GENERAL...

*gasp*

MY GRADES  
AREN'T AS  
GOOD AS  
YOURS,  
KINBARA

...YOU  
SEE

EVEN  
SO  
YOU'RE FAR  
AHEAD OF ME.  
I DON'T EVEN  
KNOW WHICH  
UNIVERSITY  
I WANT TO  
APPLY FOR

UNLIKE ME,  
SHE HAS  
FOUND  
A CLEAR  
"GOAL" FOR  
HERSELF

SINCE  
I DON'T  
KNOW  
MUCH  
ABOUT  
YOU YET

IT MAY  
SOUND  
UNREA-  
SONABLE  
COMING  
FROM ME

I THINK, I  
NOW KNOW  
ONE OF THE  
REASONS  
WHY I FEEL  
ATTRACTED  
BY KINBARA

YOU'RE  
THE KIND OF  
PERSON WHO  
CAN WORK  
HARD TO GET  
THERE

I'M SURE  
THAT ONCE  
YOU'VE  
FOUND  
SOMETHING  
YOU WANT  
TO DO

BUT I  
WOULDN'T  
WORRY  
ABOUT IT IF  
I WERE YOU,  
KINATA





# GOLDEN

I DID HAVE  
SOMETHING  
I WANTED  
TO DO IN  
THE FUTURE



*Kinako at a loss*

I RE-  
MEMBER  
WHEN  
I WAS  
SMALL



IT WAS  
TO BECOME  
A MANGA  
ARTIST

SFX: SCROLLING SCHEDULE SCHEDULE

I HADN'T  
THOUGHT  
OF THIS  
EARLIER...?

HOW  
COME  
...

SFX: CLACK CLACK



IT'S ONLY  
NATURAL THAT  
SOMEONE LIKE  
ME WHO'S INTO  
BOOKS AND  
MANGA WOULD  
DREAM OF  
BECOMING A  
MANGA ARTIST

WHEN  
I THINK  
ABOUT  
IT...

SFX: SCATCH



AHH...

I THINK  
I CAN  
IMAGINE  
WHY

HEH...





The first of three chapters of a coming-of-age story about  
the worries of a boy and the girl with the shining smile!!

軽やかに跳ぶキミ  
見上げるホクシ

I'M CHANGING  
SCHOOLS AT  
THE END OF  
SECOND YEAR.  
SO I'M STILL  
AROUND

こがれいし Golden

横田卓馬

SCRATCH  
SCRATCH

flip flip

SCRIBBLE  
SCRIBBLE

sqm sqm



ISN'T THAT  
A GOOD  
THING?

I WONDER  
WHAT'S  
GOTTEN  
INTO HIM

IT'S BEEN  
LIKE THIS  
SINCE OUR  
TRIP TO  
TOKYO



AFTER  
SCHOOL,  
HE GOES  
TO THE  
LIBRARY  
TO STUDY  
BARNESTLY



JUST GO  
AND BUY IT  
YOURSELF

THEN  
HOW AM I  
SUPPOSED  
TO GET  
MY WEEKLY  
JUMP FOR  
NOW?



ARE YOU  
STUPID,  
MICHARU?  
IT'S NOT  
GOOD AT  
ALL!!

I MEAN,  
HE'S NOT  
BRINGING  
MANGA TO  
SCHOOL  
ANYMORE!

ISN'T THAT  
A GOOD  
THING?



HMM...

COMING OUT  
THIS WEEK

NO NEW  
ISSUE  
THIS  
WEEK  
EITHER



July, 2nd Issue

WHOA!  
KOSHI!  
YOU  
SCARED  
ME!!

KHATA!  
PLEASE!  
COME  
TO YOUR  
SENSES!



TO FIND  
SOMETHING  
I WANT TO  
DO IN THE  
FUTURE

I STILL  
HAVEN'T  
MANAGED



THREE WHOLE  
MONTHS HAVE  
PASSED SINCE  
WE WENT TO  
TOKYO IN  
OUR SUMMER  
HOLIDAYS



I HAVE BEEN  
DESPERATELY  
SEARCHING FOR  
SUCH A GOAL  
MYSELF

EVER SINCE  
KINBARA TOLD  
ME ABOUT HER  
FUTURE GOALS  
DURING OPEN  
CAMPUS

IT'S  
DECEMBER,  
THE LAST  
MONTH OF  
OUR SO-  
PHOMORE  
YEAR



UNABLE  
TO COME  
UP WITH  
ANYTHING  
AT ALL

I'M  
STARTING  
TO PANIC

BEFORE  
KINBARA  
MOVES  
AWAY TO  
TOKYO

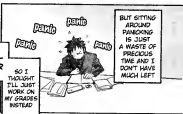
AND IF  
POSSIBLE,  
I'D LIKE  
TO DO SO

MY SOURCE



HOW-  
EVER

SO I  
THOUGHT  
I'LL JUST  
WORK ON  
MY GRADES  
INSTEAD



BUT SITTING  
AROUND  
PANICKING  
IS JUST  
A WASTE OF  
PRECIOUS  
TIME AND I  
DON'T HAVE  
MUCH LEFT





CLUB  
ACTIVITIES  
ARE ON HOLD  
BECAUSE OF  
THEM STUPID  
EXAMS AND  
I'M GONNA DIE  
IF I STAY STILL  
FOR TOO LONG

NO, I FEEL  
MORE LIKE  
I'M ABOUT  
TO ENTER  
A PHASE OF  
DEPRESSION

SO...  
END OF  
TERM TESTS  
ARE JUST  
AROUND THE  
CORNER

ARE YOU  
FEELING  
UP TO THE  
TASK?



I  
WOULDN'T  
CALL IT  
"A PIECE OF  
CAKE",  
BUT...

IT'LL  
PROBABLY  
BE A PIECE  
OF CAKE  
FOR YOU  
THOUGH,  
KINBARA

I DON'T  
FEEL LIKE  
I'M MAKING  
ANY PRO-  
GRESS AT  
ALL AND I  
TOTALLY  
FAILED MY  
MIDTERMS  
TOO

I'M TRYING  
PRETTY HARD  
TO CATCH UP,  
BUT...

**SIGH**

SAME  
HERE  
...



I'VE BEEN  
STUDYING  
PRETTY HARD  
FOR THEM  
AFTER ALL

I DO FEEL  
CONFIDENT  
ABOUT THE  
EXAMS



I HAVE  
A SUB-  
QUESTION  
TO MAKE

HOLD IT,  
YOU  
THREE!

EH??  
THAT WAS  
NOT MY  
INTENTION!  
I DIDN'T  
MEAN TO

WOW, WOW,  
WOW!!  
THAT'S  
OUR MISS  
PERFECT  
FOR YA!

LET'S GET  
OUT OF  
HERE,  
KINATA!!

WHY  
DON'T WE  
PREPARE  
FOR THE  
EXAMS  
TOGETHER?

TOT

TOT

YAN!

**GAG**



IDIOT!  
IT JUST  
SOMEHOW  
ENDED UP  
LIKE THIS!  
GO ALONG  
WITH IT!

GOING TO  
MIDDLE  
SCHOOL

I'M  
BACK!

WHY DID  
IT HAVE  
TO BE MY  
PLACE?

YOU KNOW WE  
DON'T HAVE  
A LUNCH ROOM



AH, IT'S  
TUESDAY!

ARE YOU  
HERE TO  
PLAY WITH  
US?

AND  
THAT'S  
AN  
IDOT

HEY, GUYS!  
LONG TIME  
NO SEE!  
HOW'S IT  
GOING?

I KNOW,  
IT WAS  
MY SUG-  
GESTION  
AND ALL,  
BUT...

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YEAH...  
WHY DO  
YOU EVEN  
KNOW ALL  
THAT?

ANYWAYS,  
DON'T WORRY  
ABOUT THEM,  
THEY WON'T  
COME IN TO  
BOTHER US  
WHILE WE'RE  
STUDYING

CLAIM

OH YEAH,  
THERE'S  
ONE IN  
1ST YEAR  
OF MIDDLE  
SCHOOL  
TOO!

ONE IS IN  
1ST YEAR OF  
GRADE SCHOOL,  
ONE IS IN 2ND  
YEAR AND ONE  
IS IN KINDER-  
GARTEN IF I  
REMEMBER  
CORRECTLY

WHAT  
CLASSES  
ARE YOUR  
BROTHERS  
IN?



SINCE IT'S  
ALSO A  
GOOD WAY  
TO MAKE  
MEMORIES  
TOGETHER

MISAKI TOLD ME  
THE OTHER DAY  
THAT SHE'D LIKE  
TO MEET UP  
WITH US TO  
PREPARE FOR  
THE EXAMS  
TOGETHER

HEY, SHE  
WENT INTO  
EXPLANATION  
MODE  
ALL OF A  
SUDDEN

AH, YES,  
THAT'S  
RIGHT!  
IT WAS  
MY IDEA!



ACTUALLY,  
THERE'S  
A REASON  
THAT I  
SUGGESTED  
TO COME  
TOGETHER  
TO STUDY



SPE. FLASH





YOU THINK?

I FEEL BAD FOR TAKING UP YOUR TIME FOR WHAT FELT LIKE A PRIVATE LESSON FOR ME THOUGH

YOU CATCH ON REALLY FAST



WELL, THAT WAS ONE SUCCESSFUL STUDY SESSION



EXPLAINING THINGS TO SOMEONE IN A WAY THAT'S EASY TO FOLLOW ...

HELPS SORT OUT EVERYTHING IN YOUR HEAD, YOU KNOW?

DON'T WORRY, IT WAS GOOD TRAINING FOR ME TOO

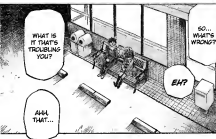
KINATA, LIKE I THOUGHT, YOU HAVE A LOT OF POTENTIAL



WANNA STOP AT THE STORE FOR SOMETHING TO DRINK?

YEP, THAT'S IT. AH, HEY!

PREPARING FOR AN EXAM BY TUTORING OTHERS, HUH?



WHAT IS IT THAT'S TROUBLING YOU?

SO... WHAT'S WRONG?

EH?

AHH, THAT...







I WANT  
TO DO  
IN THE  
FUTURE

I STILL  
CAN'T FIND  
ANYTHING  
...



WHAT  
IS IT?  
TELL  
ME

IT'S JUST  
A LITTLE  
SOMETHING  
THAT WAS  
BOOTHERING  
ME...



I HAVEN'T EVEN  
DECIDED ON MY  
UNIVERSITY OF  
CHOICE WHILE  
YOU HAD BEEN  
LOOKING SO  
FAR INTO THE  
FUTURE

I COULDN'T  
HELP BUT  
FEEL VERY  
EMBAR-  
RASSED OF  
MYSELF

YOU'RE  
PLANNING ON  
GOING TO THAT  
UNIVERSITY  
TO BECOME AN  
INTERPRETER

WHEN YOU  
TOLD ME  
DURING  
OPEN  
CAMPUS  
THAT...



UWAH...

DON'T  
TAKE  
THIS THE  
WRONG  
WAY

FOR A  
LONG  
TIME, I...



OH?

SOME-  
THING  
BECAME  
CLEAR  
TO ME

AT THE  
SAME  
TIME...



MAKES YOU  
SOMEHOW  
STAND OUT,  
YOU KNOW?  
MAKES YOU  
SHINE

FOR A  
LONG TIME,  
I HAVE  
THOUGHT  
THAT...

YOU  
BEING ABLE  
TO ENJOY  
EVERYTHING  
WHILE STILL  
DOING YOUR  
BEST AT IT





YOU...  
KINBARA

AND BE  
A LITTLE  
MORE  
LIKE...



AH

YOU'RE  
WELCOME

TH... THANK  
YOU VERY  
MUCH FOR  
LISTENING  
TO ME!

.....

OFK FLUSH



I'M NOT  
AS COOL  
AS YOU  
MAKE ME  
OUT TO BE  
THOUGH!

E  
H  
H  
H

OFK FLUTTER FLUTTER



BUT WHAT'S  
IMPORTANT  
IS YOUR WILL  
TO WORK  
TOWARDS  
YOUR GOAL...  
YOU SEE?

YOU MIGHT  
NOT REACH  
YOUR GOAL  
OR IT MIGHT  
CHANGE ON  
THE WAY

I KNOW,  
I KNOW!

I MEAN,  
IT DOESN'T  
MEAN THAT  
I'M GOING TO  
REACH THAT  
GOAL, YOU  
KNOW?

I DO HAVE  
A GOAL FOR  
THE FUTURE,  
BUT THAT'S  
ALL...



THIS IS THE  
FIRST TIME  
SOMEONE  
TOLD ME  
SOMETHING  
LIKE THIS!

WHAT  
IS THIS  
WEIRD  
FEELING?!

*YOU'RE  
A ROLE  
MODEL!  
I MEAN,  
YOU'RE  
MY ROLE  
MODEL!*

AND WHEN  
IT COMES  
TO THAT...  
WH...  
KINBARA...



I'M SURE  
THAT YOU'RE  
VERY CLOSE  
TO FINDING IT,  
ACTUALLY

AS FOR  
SOMETHING  
YOU WANT  
TO DO  
IN THE  
FUTURE



AND I  
NEVER  
KNOW  
HOW TO  
REACT

FROM TIME  
TO TIME,  
YOU SAY  
THE MOST  
DARING  
THINGS,  
KINATA

EH...  
I DO?

KINBARA GOT



THAT LEAD  
TO WHAT YOU  
WANT TO DO  
IN YOUR JOB  
IN THE FUTURE

YOU KNOW,  
IT'S OFTEN  
THE THINGS  
YOU LOVE TO  
DO NOW...

892 CLING



YOU'RE  
PROBABLY  
TOO BUSY  
PREPARING  
FOR THE  
EXAMS, BUT  
YOU SHOULD  
KNOW THAT  
YOUR FANS  
ARE WAITING  
EAGERLY

BY THE  
WAY, THERE  
HAVEN'T  
BEEN ANY  
NEW ISSUES  
OF THE  
"BOOK OF  
THE WEEK"  
LATELY



AHH...

THIS IS  
GETTING  
TOO  
EMBARRASSING  
FOR ME,  
SO LET'S  
CALL IT  
A DAY

THINGS  
I LOVE  
TO DO



ADAM: SHIBARA, DON'T FORGET US! BOY: KORE, YOU GUYS ARE! GO GUYS!





RELATED  
TO BOOKS  
OR MANGA  
IN SOME  
DIFFERENT  
WAY

SO IT  
SHOULD BE  
SOMETHING  
THAT'S...



BLINK



PAID...

SHOCK...

SPCL. ORIGIN



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ONE CLATTER



AH...!



HEH? WHY  
NOT WAIT  
FOR THE  
MANGA  
ARTISTS?

ALRIGHT!  
LET'S  
WAIT FOR  
JUMP  
ARTISTS TO  
COME  
OUT!!

NOPE. NOGOOD



DID YOU  
COME TO  
SEE ME  
OFF?

KINATA,  
WHY ARE  
YOU HERE?



I JUST...  
HAHA...  
SORRY

I JUST  
WANTED TO  
GIVE  
YOU MY  
FAREWELL  
GIFT...

YOU DIDN'T  
HAVE TO  
COME ALL  
THE WAY  
HERE!

THE  
FAREWELL  
PARTY WAS  
MORE THAN  
ENOUGH!



FLAP

OH

WHAT  
IS  
THAT?



WOW!  
YOU SURE  
IT'S GREAT?

IF IT'S  
NOT TOO  
MUCH  
LUGGAGE

HERE  
ARE SOME  
BOOKS AND  
MANGA YOU  
MIGHT LIKE



EH??  
WOW, THIS  
IS GREAT!  
I CAN'T  
WAIT TO  
READ IT  
ALL!!

THANK  
YOU!!



THAT'S  
THE LIGHT  
VERSION  
OF "BOOK  
OF THE  
WEEK"

I ADDED  
NOTES TO  
EVERY BOOK  
AND MANGA,  
SO PLEASE  
READ THEM  
IF YOU LIKE







SPOT THINGS UP





WY. SHAKE SHAKE SHAKE SHAKE SHAKE SHAKE SHAKE







AHHH  
NO, I  
DON...  
...WELL, I  
DO LOVE  
YOU, BUT

NO, I...  
WAIT...  
I DON'T...  
I MEAN...  
AHHHH...

EHHHH  
HHHHH  
HHHHH  
HHHHH  
HHHHH  
HHHHH  
HHHHH  
HHHHH



I WILL  
WRITE  
MAIL!  
OKAY?

AHHH  
OKAY  
OKAY  
OKAY

I GO  
I GO  
NOW  
SORRY

TAP

AHHH  
SORRY  
UHHH!

MOM  
MAIL

AHHH  
HHHH  
EHHH  
HHHH

BZZ  
BZZ



AH...

BZZZ...  
BZZZ...

WHAT  
DID I  
DO...  
AHHH  
HHHH



THE THIRD  
YEAR OF  
HIGH  
SCHOOL  
STARTS  
IN THREE  
MONTHS

THE YEAR  
OF EXAMS!

I'M  
GLAD...  
SHE  
DOESN'T  
SEEM TO  
HATE ME

INTO THE  
DECIDING  
YEAR..!

GOLDEN

HE

HE...

END OF  
CHAPTER  
TWO

Sorry about that  
Geez that I reacted  
like that... it  
was the first time  
someone told me that.  
Thank you. (w/ a)  
Let's start out as  
most buddies. :3



FOR  
REAL  
NOW?

MY P.E.  
TEACHER  
TOLD ME  
HE WON'T  
GIVE ME  
A RECOM-  
MENDATION  
THOUGH

WELL

NOT  
A BAD  
SHOT,  
COMING  
FROM  
YOU, I  
GUESS



IT'S  
NOT LIKE  
IT'S AN  
IMPOSSIBLE  
THING TO  
DO, YOU  
KNOW?

OUR HIGH  
SCHOOL  
ISN'T HALF  
BAD EITHER,  
YET YOU  
MANAGED TO GET IN

SPY  
GETTING  
COLD...

JUST TRY  
TO GET IN  
NORMALLY  
LIKE  
EVERYONE  
ELSE

THAT'S  
ALL?  
YOU'RE  
SULKING  
BECAUSE  
OF THAT?



AND RUN  
TOWARDS  
YOUR NEW  
GOAL WITH  
ALL YOU  
HAVE?

SO WHY  
DON'T YOU  
QUIT LYING  
AROUND  
DOING  
NOTHING

DIDN'T YOU  
SAY YOU'LL  
TRY IF YOU  
STAY STILL  
FOR TOO  
LONG?



NO,  
START  
TODAY

I'LL DO  
MY BEST...  
STARTING  
TOMORROW

...GUESS  
I DON'T  
HAVE A  
CHOICE...!



The third of three chapters of a manga series that has  
the words that represent the golden age of manga!

THE LAST  
YEAR OF  
MY HIGH  
SCHOOL  
LIFE

THE  
THIRD  
YEAR  
OF HIGH  
SCHOOL

The deciding year  
The year of dreams

**Golden**

横田 卓馬

AS A TEACHER,  
I DON'T THINK  
IT'S A BAD THING  
TO GET YOUR  
AIMS HIGH,  
YOU KNOW?  
BUT WASEDA...

ERR...  
NO...  
DON'T  
GET ME  
WRONG

STUDENT  
COUNSELING

WHATT?  
YOU WANT  
TO APPLY  
FOR  
WASEDA  
UNIVER-  
SITY??

JUST BECAUSE  
YOU REALIZED  
WHAT YOU  
WANT TO DO IN  
THE FUTURE....

I REALLY  
DON'T KNOW...

I DON'T  
KNOW  
ABOUT  
THIS...

I FOUND OUT  
THAT MOST  
EDITORS ARE  
GRADUATES  
FROM WASEDA,  
KEIO OR TOEI...

WHEN I  
INFORMED  
MYSELF  
ABOUT THE  
OCCUPATION  
I'M INTER-  
ESTED IN...



AND INSTANTLY  
BECOME REALLY  
GOOD AT IT LIKE  
SOME MAIN  
PROTAGONIST  
OF A MANGA  
WOULD

YOU DON'T  
SUDDENLY  
AWAKEN  
SOME KIND  
OF TALENT  
THAT WAS  
SLEEPING  
INSIDE YOU...

effort



I NEED TO  
GET INTO THE  
UNIVERSITY  
I CHOSE AND  
ALL I CAN DO  
FOR THAT  
RIGHT NOW  
IS...



IN ORDER TO  
BECOME ABLE  
TO DO WHAT  
I WANT TO  
DO IN THE  
FUTURE...



TO PUT  
SOME REAL  
EFFORT INTO  
GETTING MY  
GRADES UP



BEEP  
BEEP

INBOX 1/1010  
13/09/20 21:45  
Kinohara Miki  
Good evening!!  
I'm sure you've worked hard  
today too, Kinata. Keep up the  
good work!!

BEEP

B  
Z  
Z  
Z  
Z  
Z  
Z  
Z

BEEP  
BEEP

I went to a prep  
school for the first  
time today. :s  
Boy, was I surprised!  
They have a dorm  
and even a shrine  
inside. lol  
Culture shock!

BEEP  
BEEP

...OHAY!  
A LITTLE  
NOISE  
BEFORE  
I GO TO  
BED!

That's what I call high-  
level exam preparation.  
Guess, I'll have to work  
hard too to keep up  
with you, Kinata!!

CREAK...

How is he? He's  
not feeling down  
because of it, is  
he?

ZZZZZ

!

By the way, I heard  
from Michiru that  
Kous lost a football  
tournament...  
I was so sorry to  
hear that... :s



I thought so, lol  
Can't imagine him  
being depressed  
and grumpy.~



I JUST WANE,  
I DON'T KNOW  
WHICH PAGE  
WE'RE AT



KOME,  
STOP ACTING  
COOL, AND  
OPEN YOUR  
TEXTBOOK  
ALREADY



PEACE



OCTO-  
BER



SCREE

I'll jump  
issues until  
the center  
test



SCREE  
SCREE

PG. CARTER CARTER

PG. WIKIMEDIA WIKI



WHILE WE  
HAVE TO DO  
SELF-STUDY  
ALL DAY  
EVERYDAY,  
EVEN ON THE  
DAY OF OUR  
CULTURE  
FESTIVAL

THE STUPID  
FIRST YEAR  
AND SECOND  
YEAR GUYS  
ARE SO DAMN  
CAREFREE

WAMAKITA EAST HIGH CULTURE FESTIVAL



ON THE LOOK OF THE HEAD-MASTER

THE CHAIRMAN

THE SCHOOL BOARD





KINBARA  
TOO IS  
SERIOUS

IT GOES  
WITHOUT  
SAYING  
THAT...



I'M  
AWAKE,  
I'M  
AWAKE!!

JUMP!

UH,  
GAH

ONE  
MINUTE  
ALREADY  
...?

AND  
I AM  
TOO

NO, KEEP KEEP KEEP KEEP KEEP KEEP KEEP

NO, KEEP KEEP KEEP KEEP KEEP KEEP KEEP



MORE...!

KAY...!

MORE

NO, NO, NO, NO



OH NO,  
KOBAYASHI  
HAVING  
ANOTHER  
ONE OF  
HER  
"I DON'T  
WANNA  
STUDY"  
FITBIT!

AH-HAH!  
I DON'T  
WANNA  
STUDY,  
I DON'T  
WANNA  
STUDY!!



NO-  
VE-M-  
B-E-R

How  
into  
of your  
spoons  
around  
the  
center  
table





I PULLED AN ALL-NIGHTER



EVEN ON NEW YEAR'S EVE...



DAY OF THE CENTER TEST









I'VE DONE  
EVERYTHING  
I COULD  
THINK OF  
TO PREPARE  
MYSELF...!

AS OF  
NOW...



Y  
A  
W  
W  
N

...IS WHETHER  
I CAN RECALL  
EVERYTHING I  
LEARNED WHEN  
PUSH COMES  
TO SHOVE

THE ONLY  
PROBLEM  
THAT'S  
LEFT NOW

HAHHH...



IT'S  
HUGE  
...

WHEN...

BUT MAYBE...  
PROBABLY...  
I OWE TO  
SAY ALMOST  
CERTAINLY...  
I'LL BE FINE

OBVIOUSLY,  
I GET  
NERVOUS  
JUST  
THINKING  
ABOUT IT...

*Get stressed  
Get stressed*



I'VE COMPLETELY  
CHANGED.  
I FOUND A GOAL  
FOR MYSELF  
AND I'VE BEEN  
WORKING HARD  
FOR IT TOO..!

Y  
A  
W  
W  
N

THE  
EXAM  
WILL  
TAKE  
PLACE  
...

AFTER ALL,  
COMPARED  
TO THE ME  
FROM A YEAR  
AGO WHO WAS  
JUST SOME  
COUNTRY  
BLIMPIN...



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HEY,  
KINATA



W H O A

W A H!



EH!?



I'M...

I'M  
ALRIGHT,  
I'M JUST  
FINE

DID YOU  
GET HURT?  
ARE YOU  
OKAY??

UH-OH!  
I'M SO  
SORRY!



MAN, SHE  
CAUGHT  
ME BY  
SURPRISE

IT'S  
BEEN  
A LONG  
TIME...



AAAAAAAA  
DON'T  
WORRY

SOMETHING  
LIKE THIS  
CAN'T KEEP  
ME FROM  
GOING TO THE EXAM

ALL I'M  
SORRY...  
THE LAST  
THING YOU  
NEED IS AN  
INJURY THE  
DAY BEFORE  
YOUR EXAM,  
RIGHT?



LONG  
TIME  
NO  
SEE



I'M A  
LUCKY  
GUY...

I HAVE  
TO SAY...

YOU  
HAVEN'T  
CHANGED  
AT ALL,  
HLIH?

ARE THOSE  
BOOKS?  
DID YOU BUY  
ANOTHER  
PILE OF  
THEM?



DO YOU  
LIVE  
AROUND  
HERE,  
KINBARA?

HMM?  
WELL...  
IT'S NOT  
FAR FROM  
HERE...  
I GUESS



TO GET  
A MOTI-  
VATIONAL  
BOOST  
LIKE THIS

THE DAY  
BEFORE  
THE EXAM



YEAH,  
THE SNOW!  
WERE YOU  
SURPRISED  
TOO?!

WE DON'T  
SEE MUCH  
OF IT BACK  
HOME, DO  
WE?

SO I WAS  
RUNNING  
AROUND  
LOOKING  
FOR YOU!

PLEASE  
DON'T  
THINK I'M  
WEIRD OR  
SOMETHING

AAAAH,  
SORRY!  
ACTUALLY,  
I THOUGHT  
THAT I MIGHT  
ACCIDENTALLY  
RUN INTO  
YOU...

I FIGURED  
A NICE LITTLE  
SURPRISE  
WOULDN'T  
HURT  
THOUGH

WHA...  
IT'S THE  
DAY BEFORE  
YOUR EXAM,  
AFTER ALL

SHHH!  
WHY  
WOULD  
YOU...

YOU  
SHOULD  
HAVE  
JUST  
TOLD  
ME!

AH,  
I LOVE YOU

A SURPRISE...  
UHH...

UH...  
ACCIDENTALLY  
RUNNING  
INTO ME

WELL  
THEN...  
THANKS  
FOR...

YOU'RE  
WELCOME!  
DO YOUR  
BEST ON  
YOUR  
EXAM!

SHE JUST  
STEPPED  
ON A  
LANDMINE!

WELL,  
THAT WAS  
MY PLAN  
AND ALL  
AND YOU  
KNOW...



ONE-UP





LIKE YOU,  
KINBARA...

IN  
ORDER TO  
CATCH UP  
TO YOU,  
KINBARA!



I WILL  
PASS THE  
ENTRANCE  
EXAM AND  
FOLLOW  
MY DREAM



CAN WE  
MEET UP  
HERE IN  
TOKYO  
AGAIN..?



WHEN  
I'VE  
CAUGHT  
UP...



IF YOU  
INSIST  
ON IT  
...

I CAN  
HARDLY  
SAY...  
NO...  
CAN I..?



HMM...  
BUT...

WE CAN  
MEET UP  
WHENEVER  
YOU WANT

I'M NOT  
AS GREAT  
A PERSON  
AS YOU  
THINK...



...I  
TOLD  
YOU,  
KINBARA  
...





I'LL BE  
WAITING  
FOR YOU,  
KINOTA



YES,  
I WILL  
CHASE  
AFTER  
YOU...

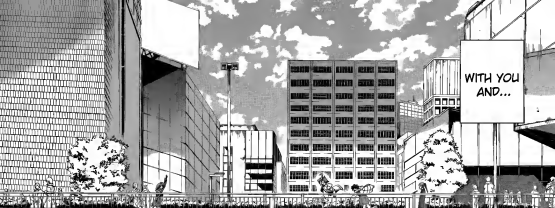


OR  
SOME-  
THING  
LIKE  
THAT

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UNTIL  
I HAVE  
CAUGHT  
UP...

AND I WILL  
NOT STOP  
RUNNING  
STRAIGHT  
AHEAD  
AFTER YOU



WITH YOU  
AND...

YOUR  
SHINING  
GOLDEN  
SMILE...!

THE PATH TO YOUR DREAMS  
WILL KEEP SHINING ON!  
WE WILL BE WAITING FOR YOUR  
COMMENTS AND REVISIONS  
ON THE MANGA!

GOLDEN

THE END